GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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UTILIZATION OF FUNDS MEANT FOR RURAL HOUSING
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has curtailed the 10th Five Year Plan outlay for housing in rural areas;

(b) if so, the percentage of amount curtailed in the allocation made for the year 2004- 2005;

(c) the reasons therefore;

(d) whether allocation made for housing in rural areas has been utilized; and

(e) if so, the details of the progress made so far in this regard, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA PATIL)

(a) to (c): No, Sir. The Government has not curtailed the 10th Five Year Plan outlay for housing in rural areas. An amount of Rs. 8603.00 crore was approved by the Planning Commission for the 10th Five Year Plan in respect of Rural Housing. As against this, Rs. 8875.00 crore have already been allocated during the first four years of the 10th Five Year Plan, as per details given below:

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Central allocation
2002-2003	1725.00
2003-2004	1900.00
2004-2005	2500.00
2005-2006	2750.00

(d) & (e): State-wise details of allocation, Utilization and number of houses constructed for the last three years under the Indira Awaas Yojana are annexed.